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FROM:

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Executive Registry

Frank:

Somehow I missed the attached notice during coordination and did not catch up with it until recently. As I see it, OGC will not generally be in a position to contribute much if anything to the substantive judgments made by the Board in reviewing manuscripts. What we will be able to contribute is advice as to the legal standards to be applied, etc. In addition, I assume we will continue to represent the Agency in its dealings with former employees who submit manuscripts and their attorneys, and with the Department of Justice in cases that develop into potential or actual lawsuits. All these considerations argue in favor of an arrangement under which an OGC representative would serve not as a member of the Board but rather as attorney/ advisor.

2. If you accept my suggestion, the notice should be amended to reflect an attorney/advisor rather than a membership role for OGC.

Tony Lapham

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EXPANSION OF PUBLICATIONS REVIEW BOARD MEMBERSHIP

- 1. Effective immediately, the membership of the Publications Review Board will consist of the Director of Public Affairs, Chairman, and representatives from the DDO, DDA, DDS&T, NFAC, OGC, the Office of Security, and the Central Cover Staff, DDO. Each office represented will appoint a principal and alternate member to the board.
- 2. The board will meet at least quarterly or more frequently at the call of the chairman and will attempt to complete review of manuscripts within 30 days of their receipt.

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